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AMCONSUL ROTTERDAM

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USDOC ALSO PASS FIELD OFFICE, GREENSBORO NC AND

ROBERT GRUENBERG, GENERAL MANAGER, SOUTHERN FURNITURE,  
210 E. COMMERCE AVE., HIGH POINT, NC 27261. TEL. (919) 885-4071.

THE HAGUE FOR COMAFF

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: BEXP, NL  
SUBJ: FOREIGN BUYER VISITS: SOUTHERN FURNITURE MARKET, HIGHPOINT NC,  
APRIL 13/21, 1978.

REF: AMSTERDAM 1182, DECEMBER 29, 1977

1. AS A RESULT OF PROMOTION BY THIS CONSULATE GENERAL, TWO GROUPS  
OF DUTCH BUSINESSMEN WILL VISIT THE SOUTHERN FURNITURE MARKET IN  
HIGHPOINT, NORTH CAROLINA.

2. GROUP ONE CONSISTS OF THE FOLLOWING TEN PERSONS:

- 1) MR. A.C. MORRES, MORRES MEUBELEN, HULST
- 2) MRS. I. MORRES, " " "

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- 3) MR. J. MORRES, " " "
- 4) MRS. I.J. MORRES, " " "
- 5) MR. H.C.H. HULSHOFF, HULSHOFF INTERIEUR BV, VOORSCHOTEN
- 6) MR. J. REEDIJK, G.Z. REEDIJK BV, HEINENOORD
- 7) MR. C.D. VAN DER VELDE, KULLMAN LAMPEN BV, CULEMBORG
- 8) MR. B.I. REIJN, BERNARD REYN BV, AMSTERDAM
- 9) MR. J.A. OMMEN, SPES IMPEX BV, NIJMEGEN

10) MR. J.H. KEEVEN, VEBA INTERIEURINRICHTING BV, ROTTERDAM.

ARRIVING 18 APRIL, HYATT HOUSE HOTEL, WINSTON SALEM. DEPARTURE  
21 APRIL. GROUND TRANSPORT INCLUDED IN PACKAGE.

3. GROUP TWO CONSISTS OF FOLLOWING ELEVEN PERSONS:

- 11) MR. W. VAN AST, MEUBELFABRIEK ARCO BV, WINTERSWIJK
- 12) MR. W. VAN AST, RONDOVA NEDERLAND BV, ZUTPHEN
- 13) MR. C.E.H. VAN BENNEKOM, VAN BENNEKOM S MEUBELFABRIEK BV,  
STADSKANAAL
- 14) MR. R. VAN DIJK, MEUBELINDUSTRIE GEBRS. VAN DIJK BV, TILBURG
- 15) MR. G. VAN ELK, HOUTINDUSTRIE FILLER BV, WIJCHEN
- 16) MR. W.J.M. VAN GELDER, VAN GELDER # VAN OS BV, BOVEN-LEEUVEN
- 17) MR. W.J. HOFSTEDE, STIJLZETELFABRIEK HOFSTEDE BV, RENKUM
- 18) MR. P.B.A. MULDER, 3B ZITMEUBELINDUSTRIE BV, BOVEN-LEEUVEN
- 19) MR. P. ROOD, HOUTINDUSTRIE FILLER BV, WIJCHEN
- 20) MR. H. VINK, MEUBELFABRIEK M. VINK BV, IJSSELSTEIN
- 21) MR. W. ZONDAG, ZONDAG S MEUBELFABRIEK BV, BOVEN-LEEUVEN.

ARRIVING 19 APRIL, HYATT HOUSE HOTEL, WINSTON SALEM. DEPARTURE  
21 APRIL. GROUND TRANSPORT INCLUDED IN PACKAGE. MR. VAN BENNEKOM  
IS COORDINATOR.

4. VISITING THE EXHIBITION BUT TRAVELLING INDIVIDUALLY ARE:

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- 22) MR. R.A. CHAUDRON, PANDER MEUBILERINGSBEDRIJVEN NV, THE HAGUE
- 23) MR. F. LOGJES, " " " " " "
- 24) MR. P. HUTTEN, MART HUTTEN MEUBELFABRIEKEN BV, LOON OP ZAND.
- 25) MR. M.J. VAN DRIFT, JOURNALIST OF TRADE MAGAZINE "MEUBEL".

5. FURNITURE IS BECOMING VERY ACTIVE SUBSECTOR FOR EXPORT PROMOTION.

PLEASE EXTEND APPROPRIATE COURTESIES.  
LAGASSE

NOTE BY OC/T: NOT PASSED ABOVE ADDRESSEES.

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